

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HOME AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA**

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LOSS OF LIVES DUE TO TERRORISM

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Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of terrorists killed by the police, Border Security Force and Central Reserve Police Force in encounters with the terrorists alongwith the number of jawans or police personnel killed therein during the last three years, force-wise and year-wise;
- (b) whether jawans of CRPF and other forces deployed on the border are armed with automatic weapons;
- (c) if so, the details thereof; and
- (d) the details of families of the jawans killed in these encounters, given employment and compensation by the Government?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS(SHRI SRIPRAKASH JAISWAL)

(a): Information relating to State Police is available with the State Governments. In respect of Border Security Force and Central Reserve Police Force, the information is as under:-

Year	2005	2006	2007			
Force Terrorist Personnel Terrorist Personnel Terrorist Personnel						
CRPF	231	76	249	39	220	71
BSF	147	24	68	13	42	02

(b) & (c): BSF, ITBP, SSB and Assam Rifles jawans deployed on borders are equipped with automatic weapons like Insas Rifles, Light Machine Gun, Carbine, Pistol, Medium Machine Gun etc.

(d): The number of families of the BSF and CRPF jawans killed in encounters, who were given employment from 2005 to 2007 are 01 and 41 respectively. Ex-gratia amount @ Rs. 7.5 lacs for those killed in action and Ex-gratia amount @ Rs. 5 lacs for accidental deaths are paid to the Next of Kin of the victims in all cases.